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### The Times.

#### ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORTS BRIEFED.

## OUT OF TOWN.

### Federal Troops Leave Chicago.

### The Merchants Prefer That They Stay.

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### THE CITY.

#### Charter Revision Considered by the Chamber of Commerce Directors.

#### Counterfeiting of Money by Judge Ross in Folsom Prison.

#### An Important Meeting of Subscribers to the Tenth-street Hotel Fund.

#### The Case of Engineer Patterson.

#### The City Council's Move to Extend the Public Parks.

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### THE COAST.

### Railroad Business is Conducted About as Usual.

### The Rumor that Debs Had Telephoned His Surrender Causes a Flutter at Oakland—Supt. Fillmore on the Traffic Operations.

#### Associated Press Leased-wire Service.

#### TROOPS LEAVE CHICAGO.

#### CHICAGO, July 19.—The Federal troops moved out of the city today.

#### AT THE PULLMAN WORKS.

#### CHICAGO, July 19.—At the Pullman works today Manager Middleton was registering men willing to work. It is claimed that in two hours the manager registered 325 men. About 1000 will be necessary before the works resume.

#### SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA.

#### The Rialto murder mystery deepens.

#### Return of all the suspected parties.

#### An atrocious crime reported from San Bernardino.

#### A young girl unmercifully hurt.

#### The Hollander's resumed work.

#### WORKERS AT THE STOCK YARDS.

#### CHICAGO, July 19.—In the Overton edict warning railroad men at the stock yards to desist from work or be branded as "scabs," seemed to have little effect. The railroad employees returned to work to-day. The stock yards company will endeavor to secure protection for its men out of working hours by lodging them in its buildings. The workingmen are frequently beaten by strikers.

#### SCHILLER'S PROCLAMATION.

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#### LEADING CHICAGO BANKERS AND MERCHANTS JOINED IN A TELEGRAM TO PRESIDENT CLEVELAND, ASKING HIM TO REINSTATE THE STRIKERS.

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#### THE HUNDRED JAIL-BIRDS.

#### BIRMINGHAM (Ala.), July 19.—One hundred strikers charged with participating in Monday's riot at the Fratt mines, are in jail. The jail is heavily guarded to-night, as the officers have been informed of a threatened attempt to rescue the strikers.

#### GOT OUT AN INJUNCTION.

#### SPRINGFIELD (Ill.), July 19.—The miners of the Big Muddy Coal Company at Murphysboro struck this week and the company applied today for an injunction from the United States Court restraining the strikers from interfering with the operation of the mines. The injunction was granted.

#### THE STRIKERS' EXECUTIVE BOARD DECLARED A TWO-HOUR STRIKE.

#### ST. LOUIS, July 19.—The St. Louis strikers' executive board today declared the A.R.U. strike off by a two-thirds vote.

#### ACCEPTED A REDUCTION.

#### ESTATE LIVERPOOL (O.), July 19.—The potters today, by an almost unanimous vote, declared the six months' strike off. The men accepted a 2½ per cent. reduction.

#### AN INFORMAL AGREEMENT WAS REACHED AMONG THE PARTIES CONCERNED THAT WHEN IT WAS TO THE INTEREST OF BOTH SIDES TO RETAIN ANY LINE THAT LINE SHALL NOT BE CUT OFF.

#### ANOTHER HEARING ON THE CASE WILL BE HELD TOMORROW.

#### THE MONTHLY STATEMENT.

#### BOSTON, July 19.—The receivers of the Union Pacific system this afternoon issued their statement of the condition of the stock for May.

#### The gross earnings were \$2,533,221.46, and the expenses \$2,159,9

similar with its contents they gathered in groups to discuss the document, both with reference to points made by the President and the policy of the President in writing it. So intense was the general interest that for two or three hours very little attention was paid to routine proceedings on the floor of the Senate.

While no Senator hesitated to express his views privately, the Democratic Senators were loath to submit to interviews for publication. They said the circumstances were so unusual and that their action as a body in opposition to the position taken by the President they could not give publicity to their opinions whatever they might be. The Republican Senators were at first inclined to express themselves very freely on the policy of the letter, but when they discovered as they soon did, that their Democratic colleagues were disposed to remain silent they changed their policy as if by common consent and announced, when spoken to upon the subject, that they preferred the Democrats should do all the talking, declaring it was a time for Republicans to be silent. The most common expression among the Senators was that the writing of such a letter was "very extraordinary," and in many instances where the speaker was sure of not being quoted, stronger words were used. These expressions were heard with slight variations on both Democratic and Republican sides of the chamber.

The proceedings in the Senate tomorrow are expected to be of unusual interest. It is hardly probable that any of the Senators will express any personal resentment, but there are expected to be some very emphatic declarations against a change of front by the Senate, especially from the conservative Senators, who are regarded as responsible for the most pronounced increase made in the bill.

It was understood before the letter made its appearance that several of these Senators, including Senators Gorman, Smith and Price, had announced a purpose to state to the Senate that only the Senate bill could pass, and to say in giving their reasons for this view that the bill had been the result of most careful deliberation on the part of the members of the Senate. It had been found to be the only bill that could pass when the Jones amendments had been arranged in the cause, and then an attempt to change it materially at this late date would prove that there had been no modification of sentiment since that time.

Senator Hill has announced an intention to take advantage of the President's position and influence to make another effort to secure a recession by the Senate from its amendments—for a duty on coal and iron, and he is said to believe that he would double the vote which his proposition received when first advanced.

During the afternoon there were several conferences between the Democratic leaders and at first the Senate's disposition to refuse further conference on a tariff bill.

This was advised by quite a number who felt much aggravated at the course taken in the House. The Republican steering committee had held a meeting, and the general opinion was expressed that it was good policy to allow the Democrats to do most of the talking on the subject. On the House side, the question as to whether the tariff situation had been settled in another conference by the President's letter, was the subject of much speculation, after the stirring proceedings of the day.

Members on both sides of the chamber agreed that it would have a profound impression on the situation, but there was a disposition to wait until its effects on the Senate had been seen.

"Up to this time," said Mr. Outhwaite, in reply, I judge that there is no difference of sentiment on this side. We are all shoulder to shoulder."

Mr. Reed, in closing, in referring to Mr. Outhwaite's eulogy of the House conference, asked what courage was to be had to that backed down. "How long will this courage last? Is it to be permanent?" The gentleman from Ohio (Mr. Outhwaite) is silent. Into the future his mind is not prophetic. He has taken the first and last opportunity he will have to command the courage of the House conference.

Without further debate the vote was taken, and on the adoption of a special order, to adjourn to without division.

Immediately after the adoption of the rule, the Speaker recognized Chairman Wilson, who rose in his place on the floor, the chair being bandaged head.

He made a speech in a clear, ringing tones, and as determined to press forward in that fight as he did when the hope of victory was with him the day before.

(Applause on the Democratic side.)

"It was because of that determination; it was because we felt the spirit and birth of the American liberal spirit inciting us; it was because we felt the incitement of a great moral purpose, which multiplies men by ten, that we took up this cause in 1888 and fought for it in 1890, and prevailed in 1892. (Applause on the Democratic side.) After the American people have given us the responsibility it remains to be seen if we will have the courage to sustain it.

The gentleman from Maine (Reed) has just said, that there have been two meetings of the full conference on the part of the Senate and House.

A tariff bill, of recent years at least, has almost always in the history of this country been a political measure—a measure proposed by one party and resisted by the other. The present tariff legislation does not differ from this in character.

It was fully recognized and cordially expressed by the Republican conference of the Senate that it was the duty of the dominant party in the two houses, to call a special conference, first, to try if they could consider their own differences before they brought to the attention of the full conference committee their proposed action.

"While, therefore, there have been two meetings of the full conference committee, daily protracted, earnest and thorough consultations on the part of the House conference, the majority party, representing the majority party in this House and the Senate, has been held as to the 634 amendments in the hope that we might reach some agreement that could be reported to the full conference committee, when it should be called together. It has been agreed that such an agreement has been at present in sight, that we have felt it our duty to bring the whole matter back to the House and receive its instructions.

"I desire to be perfectly frank and as complete as possible in any statement I make to the House today, and yet I recognize there are some illustrations to corroborate the facts which would be best for me to observe on this stage in the controversy between the two houses. But I think I may say with truth and frankness and courtesy that if the conference of the Senate on the part of the majority party had been as free and as untrammeled as we ourselves were, with regard to their own interests, and the sense of duty to the people and to our party and to the House, a tariff bill would have been agreed upon in one day's session that would have been satisfactory to the Democratic party and that would have given hope and courage and enthusiasm to the American people." (Applause on the Democratic side.)

The reading of the President's letter was frequently interrupted by enthusiastic cheers and hand-clapping on the Democratic side, and at the conclusion of the reading of the letter, for almost a minute, a general cheering and shouting continued to ring out.

Ex-Speaker Reed, the leader of the minority, said: "I take it for granted, Mr. Speaker, that the gentleman to whom the letter is addressed to which I have just listened, has observed all the proprieties which gentlemen ordinarily observe in referring to their constituents.

This letter, which is marked 'Personal,' having been addressed to him, he has not been guilty in any way of making it public in this fashion without the express consent of the author. Hence we have here today the somewhat remarkable spectacle of a message sent by the President of the United States to the House of Representatives.

He has told the House that he has a just reciprocal action on his part for the House will recollect the Committee on Ways and Means communicated to this House its intention of having an income tax through the kindness of the President of the United States." (Applause on the Democratic side.)

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## THE HARBOR QUESTION.

We republish this morning some interesting Washington dispatches to Eastern journals on the subject of the attempt which is being made by the Southern Pacific Company to reverse the decision of the government engineers in favor of San Pedro as a site for a government deep-water harbor. These dispatches show very plainly that the Eastern press is beginning to understand this question thoroughly, and that Southern California will not have to depend entirely on its own efforts to secure justice.

While the strike was on—while lawless men were seeking to interfere with the business of the Southern Pacific and other railroad corporations, and to destroy their property—the Times did not consider it an opportune time to take up the discussion of this or any other outside questions affecting the companies; but, on the contrary, we deemed our simple public duty to be an unwavering support of law and order, and the defense of the property rights and interests which had been assailed without justification. Now, however, that the strike is over, we shall again refer from time to time to this question of a harbor site, of so much importance to Los Angeles, and upon which, it is scarcely necessary for us to say, our views, as frequently and fully expressed in these columns, have undergone no change whatever.

After a very hard fight, Mr. C. P. Huntington of the Southern Pacific Company has succeeded in getting the Senate committee to go so far as to decide to visit the Coast again and inspect the government harbor site at San Pedro, and the proposed site at Santa Monica. It is stated that if it had not been for the recent strong expression of sentiment on the part of the people of Los Angeles he would have succeeded in getting an appropriation through the Senate for Santa Monica. Mr. Huntington may think that the appointment of this visiting committee is a long step toward an appropriation for Santa Monica, but we do not share that belief. One of the members of this committee—Senator Jones—is heavily interested in the question, and decency would have dictated that he should not have taken such a prominent part. Two other members of the committee are believed to be closely allied to the Southern Pacific Company. These facts are known to members of Congress, and are becoming known to the people at large.

Should this committee decide in favor of Santa Monica, the question will be by no means definitely settled. The committee is not the Senate; it is not the House; it is not Congress; it is not composed of engineers who understand their business. The idea that a report from such a committee could be permitted to override several reports from expert government engineers is preposterous. The lower house is jealous of its privileges, and will certainly not bow down to the report of such a committee, should it be against the reports which have been made by experts. They will demand a technical report, and if Congress still desires further information on the subject the best thing to do would be to send out some authorities from the War Department—not hired employees of the Southern Pacific, but some genuine government engineers who know the coast.

Private advice from Washington from gentlemen who have been watching the interests of the people in this matter, say that it is not at all likely that this Senate committee, when it comes, will go back

upon the reports of the engineers. Still, in view of the well-known persistence of the Southern Pacific Company in such cases, it would not be advisable for the public here to relax their vigilance, or to forget that the question is not so much whether Santa Monica or San Pedro is the best or cheapest site, as whether Los Angeles county—and Southern California—is to have a deep-water harbor open to all comers, or one which is controlled by a single corporation.

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United States treasury \$25,000,000 unexpended balance of the pension appropriation for the current year. This appropriation was \$165,000,000, made on the estimate of Commissioner Raum. Mr. Raum's first estimate was for \$180,000,000, but he was asked to reduce that amount, which he did, but prophesied that there would be a deficiency of at least \$15,000,000. At the end of the present fiscal year the expected deficiency did not occur, but there is instead a surplus of \$25,000,000, making a difference of \$40,000,000 in the estimate submitted by the two commissioners of pensions. This is satisfactory as long as no hardship is inflicted upon worthy veterans, but the better spirit of the country—the spirit which is strongly predominant in this country—certainly does not ask nor expect a saving to be made in the pension roll at the expense of those brave men who sacrificed their lives for the country.

## FOR THE CLARKE MONUMENT FUND.

The following contributions by citizens are made to the fund for the erection of a monument to Engineer Clarke, who dared to do his duty, in spite of fears, and died at his post in the recent railroad wreck near Sacramento:

Previously reported ..... \$48.00  
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The State of Massachusetts has made an important, and, doubtless, beneficial, change in its highway law. The new measure is designed to practically secure for the State an improved system of roads within a few years. The sum of \$300,000 is appropriated, and to make sure that it shall be applied where most needed, the counties taking any part of this sum are obliged to return one-fourth of the same with 3 per cent. interest, which sum will be yearly added to the fund to be expended by the State commission in such a way that if the commission deems it advisable the whole amount shall be returned in six years. The commission can act on petition of county commissioners, the Mayor or Aldermen of a city, or the selectmen of a town. Roads are to be constructed by contract, in accordance with proposals duly advertised. To make sure that the money shall be fairly apportioned among the several counties, the law provides that not more than ten miles of road shall be constructed in one county without the approval of the Governor and Council.

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Eastern Papers Taking Up the Issue.

A Desperate Fight Being Made by C. P. Huntington.

He is Ably Seconded by Jones, Dolph and Frye.

What Senator Jones Has at Stake—The California Delegation is Doing Good Work—Lively Times in the Committee-room.

Several of the great Eastern papers, copies of which have come to hand since the blockade was broken, have been paying special attention to the effort which Mr. Collis P. Huntington has been making at Washington to undo the effect of the government engineers' report on the San Pedro-Santa Monica deep-water harbor question.

In its issue of June 26, the New York World publishes a long dispatch from its Washington correspondent, who, after narrating the facts in the case as they are known to citizens of Los Angeles, continues:

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Following are extracts from later Washington dispatches to the *Globe Democrat*:

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"Only parcels 3 and 4 of the land not directly controlled by Jones, Dolph and Huntington front on the ocean. They aggregate only a few square feet, and title to them is subject to the right-of-way of the Southern Pacific. It will be seen that Mr. Huntington's Santa Monica enterprise is throughout its entire extent as exclusive as though it were surrounded by a Chinese wall."

BEFORE A SENATE COMMITTEE.

"It is to improve this water-front and to shelter the wharf Mr. Huntington has constructed, that the government has been asked to spend \$4,000,000 rather than a much smaller sum in improving the harbor at San Pedro, which is open to public competition. Private bonds and investors sent out by the War Department have examined the two projects, and in every instance have reported in favor of San Pedro and against Santa Monica. Notwithstanding this official condemnation of his scheme, Mr. Huntington has worked away with chicanery and industry to compel Congress to look at his business in a different light. His latest effort, was onslaught upon the Senate Committee on Commerce, of which Senator Jones is a member.

"Mr. Huntington appeared before the committee in person last Tuesday and urged the appropriation of \$4,000,000 to build the breakwater at Santa Monica. His argument to the committee was supported by that of a Chicago engineer named Correll, who said at first that he had made his investigation on his own account and out of curiosity, but afterwards admitted that in compliance with Mr. Huntington's request, he had visited Washington in relation to the matter before making his survey. The government was informed at this hearing by Maj. Raymond of the Engineering Corps, who made the last survey of Santa Monica. He was sharply cross-examined by Senator Jones in a manner that was highly significant to those who understood the Senator's relations to the Santa Monica property. When Maj. Raymond attempted to describe his examination of the water front he was interrupted by Senator Jones, who asked with much asperity if the fog had been so thick as to prevent a satisfactory observation. Maj. Raymond replied in the negative, whereupon Senator Jones asked if the headlands in the neighborhood could be seen through the fog. Maj. Raymond answered that they were quite visible, evidently to Senator Jones's disappointment.

A statement made by T. E. Gibson, who addressed the committee in behalf of the San Pedro improvement, was vigorously challenged by Senator Jones. Mr. Gibson had said it would require a great many hundred thousand dollars to build a wharf at Santa Monica to which Senator Jones replied, with much emphasis: "I built a wharf myself there for \$75,000."

At the hearing before the Committee on Commerce Senator Jones has been very active on behalf of the Santa Monica improvement, and has labored zealously with a view to have it incorporated in the new River and Harbor Bill. His action on the committee in which the bill will be formulated gives him a decided advantage over Senator White and his associates, who are fighting for the people's harbor at San Pedro. The California delegation is making a hard fight, however, and confidently expects to defeat the appropriation in the House, if not in the Senate, should Messrs. Huntington and Jones succeed in having it put in the bill in committee."

BEFORE THE VOTE.

The St. Louis Globe-Democrat of the same date also has a long dispatch from

Washington on the subject, concluding as follows:

"The vote will be taken by the committee some time this week. Huntington appears to be beaten at last. There are before the committee memorials from the Legislature of California, the Chamber of Commerce of Los Angeles and from commercial bodies all through the Southwest asking for the San Pedro improvement. V. M. Morrissey, Coke of Texas, Berry of Arkansas, Culom of Illinois, are among the members of the committee, and will vote for San Pedro. The House put in the River and Harbor Bill \$40,000 for San Pedro, and the Senate will probably make it \$250,000, and direct the beginning of the work on the deep-water harbor in accordance with the several reports of the army engineers. For once Mr. Huntington seems to be down. The maps and testimony showing the advantages of San Pedro are the most elaborate and convincing character. One of the sensational incidents of the hearing was an address by Mr. Pauline to Washington, at the hands of Los Angeles merchants. He begged the Senate not to make the interests of the city and Southwest subject to the tyranny and oppression of the Southern Pacific Railroad by adopting the Santa Monica scheme."

"Both the Southern Pacific and the road built by the St. Louis road down to San Pedro are in a position to accept competition. He is not willing to divide the terminal business. Other roads as well as these two can easily get into San Pedro. Mr. Huntington insists on Santa Monica, because, no other road can get in there except at enormous expense of cutting down or tunneling the cliff, and building a \$1,000,000 wharf to match the one he has already constructed, extending out to deep water."

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[SOCIAL RECORD.]  
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Cover was laid for fourteen, and those who were gathered around the convivial party until the wee sma' hours are as follows: B. F. Coulter, Jr., Theo Coulter, A. J. Jenkins, H. G. Bundrem, A. H. Brady, L. D. Sale, Felt Notman, W. M. Edwards, H. D. Cashman, W. R. Teale, J. F. Bumiller, H. H. Gaskell, W. B. Nicholson, W. F. West and T. Mc. D. Potter.

BELL-RUNNELLS.

A very pretty wedding took place in Pico Heights Wednesday evening at the residence of the bride's parents. The contracting parties were Missella Runnels and J. J. Bell. The house was brilliantly illuminated and made very appropriate. Friends witnessed the tying of the nuptial knot, at which the Rev. A. B. Morrison officiated. The bride received many handsome presents. After the ceremony the young couple left for La Canada, which will be their future home.

NOTES AND PERSONALS.

The Woman's Parliament of Southern California, which was expected to convene at Santa Barbara on August 1, has postponed its meeting. It was found impossible to perfect the arrangements for the summer session, so there will be no permanent annual meeting, which takes place some time during the first week of October.

Wednesday evening Miss Waddell gave a tally-ho ride to Pasadena and back. Those who enjoyed her hospitality were the Misses Mullens, Dorsey, Kempson, Wedemeyer, Messrs. Killam, Garland, Bishop, Hoyle, Gaskell, Odgen and Judge Chancery. The party was chaperoned by Mrs. Chancery.

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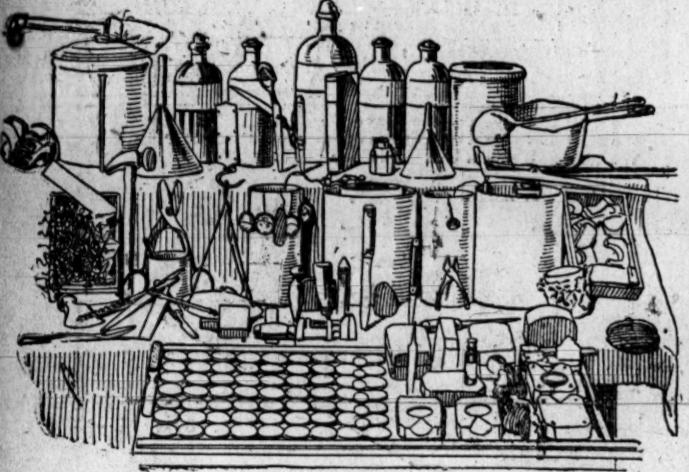
Joe Trigiani and John Dugliano, two of the four Italians under indictment for having counterfeited dollars and five-dollar pieces, appeared before Judge Ross

for the successful operation of their illicit work.

With this clew to work upon, the capture of the suspects was merely a question of time in the minds of the city's detectives, and subsequent events proved the truth of this prediction.

On Saturday afternoon, June 23 last, Detective Auble saw an Italian purchasing planter of paris, wicks and other materials, come into the Main street, and determined, if possible, to keep the fellow in sight, with the view of ascertaining where he took his purchases and what became of them. To "shadow" the Italian to the Temple-street cable terminus, and ride out with him to the other end of the line, was an easy matter, but when both got off and the Italian went out into the open country, the detective's work became more difficult. By turning off to the right, however, and walking back, so as to parallel the Italian at a distance of several hundred yards, Auble managed to escape his notice, and yet keep him in sight.

About a mile from the cable road, and almost due north of the terminus, the Italian appeared again, and this time, with a button on an elevation, in such a manner as to command an uninterrupted view of the country on either side for at least half a mile. The detective suddenly dropped out of sight into a friendly gully, and, peeping over the bank, watched the Italian climbing the grade up to this



The outfit.

in the United States District Court yesterday morning, and were sentenced to imprisonment, at hard labor, at Folsom Penitentiary for the period of eight years each, and fined in the nominal sum of \$1 in addition thereto.

When the defendants were called upon to receive sentence, their attorney, J. Marion Brooks, Esq., addressed the court on their behalf, stating that these men were not principals in the unlawful business in which they had been engaged, and asking that they be dealt with as leniently as possible on that ground.

At the close of the attorney's speech, Judge Ross turned to the United States District Attorney and asked what the circumstances of the case were.

Mr. Denis briefly related them to the court, who after glancing at the two indictments against the defendants, remarked:

"This offense is a very serious one, and ordinarily the court would inflict the maximum punishment, but inasmuch as both of these men entered pleas of guilty, thereby saving the government considerable expense, I am disposed to take what counsel has said in their behalf into consideration."

It is the judgment of the court that the defendants Trigiani and Dugliano,

dwelling. When he was about half way up the door of the house opened and another Italian came out, walked down slowly, and the man with packages, stopped and down the hill toward town. As the first one resumed his journey up the hill, a third Italian came out, hurried forward to meet the arrival, relieved him of his packages, and, chatting volubly, accompanied him back to the house.

After watching the place, from his concealed, and well-contrived seat, as soon as the shades of evening made such a procedure permissible, the detective satisfied himself that the suspects were not merely temporary occupants of this isolated dwelling, and returned to town to report progress.

A council of war was held in the detectives' room, as the result of which it was determined to raise the alarm and to take further chances. Accordingly, at 10 o'clock on the morning of Sunday, June 24, Detectives Moffat, Auble, Benson Goodman and Hawley drove quietly out to Prospect Park, hatched their team up, and surrounded the house. With the dawn, a concerted movement was made upon the house of the counterfeiter. Auble, Moffat and Hawley taking the front, while Benson and Goodman watched the rear.

The front door soon gave way to Auble's assaults, and the trio rushed into

the first room on the ground floor, where two drowsy Italians were in bed. One, who had evidently been disturbed by the crash of the broken door, was sitting up in bed, while the other lay prostrate, a Winchester in the hands of Detective Moffat, and collapsed. The other was not quite awake, but speedily lost all desire to continue his slumbers, upon realizing the situation.

Meanwhile, Benson and Goodman had effected an entrance from the rear, and, having the two men in their custody, the police officers went straight to the two others about half awake, and still in bed. The four prisoners were told to don their clothes, and then, securely handcuffed together, were marched out into the yard, while the premises were thoroughly searched. After this had been done, Detectives Moffat, J. M. Wilson and J. A. Walsh, who had escorting the four Italians to the City Jail, where they were booked for counterfeiting, under the names of Joseph Trigiani, Diego Sibri, Michael Giolondo and John Dugliano, respectively.

At 6 o'clock the officers returned to the house, and Prospect Park, which had been thoroughly searched, was now under the watchful eyes of Detectives Goodman and Hawley, and the counterfeiter's outfit was confiscated, as evidence, and brought into town.

This consisted of a complete electroplating apparatus, about one hundred variously-shaped and curious coils of various descriptions, four excellent planter of paris molds, a work of "Electro-Metallurgy" by Watts, melting pots, tools of every description, a quantity of base metal, acids and other chemicals, and a number of other interesting things too numerous to mention. Under the house were bushels of broken molds, made of planter of paris, and a quantity of these were picked up and brought along as evidence.

**SLIPPED HIS MEMORY.**

A Desultory Witness Who Proved to Be Not in Fault.

In the United States Court yesterday morning J. S. Buckman of San Diego, the defaulting witness for whom an attachment was issued by Judge Ross on Saturday last at the request of the United States Attorney, appeared to answer to the citation requiring him to show cause why he should not be punished for contempt in that he disobeyed the process of the court in not appearing before the grand jury in response to a subpoena recently.

Upon motion, however, the matter was continued indefinitely, it appearing that an arrangement had been entered into between Buckman and the United States Attorney, which the latter had forgotten, whereby he promised to telegraph to Buckman whenever his presence was required.

In view of this fact it is very unlikely that any further steps, except that of dismissing the proceedings, will be taken in the hands of the board.

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## THE PUBLIC SERVICE.

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## The Location and the Value Which is Placed Upon It.

## Sessions of the Board of Equalization—Property-owners Cited to Show Cause Why Their Assessments Should Not Be Raised.

At the City Hall yesterday there was little to distract the dullness except the daily meeting of the Board of Equalization.

## AT THE CITY HALL.

## THE PUBLIC PARKS.

## Lands Which It is Desired to Have Acquired.

The action of the City Council regarding the condemnation of land for park purposes has caused a good deal of comment.

It will be remembered that on several occasions within the past few months the Land Committee has reported recommending that the seven blocks of land of thirty-five acres each, located in the middle portion of Elysian Park, which lands are owned by private parties, be condemned for park purposes.

It would be the recommendation be read before the Council when a motion would be made to include in the proceedings the land in the gully southwest of Westlake Park, between Seventh and Ninth streets. This amendment would be moved to be further amended by including certain land adjoining East-side Park, and scarcely would such an amendment be offered before a motion would be made to include certain land adjoining Hollenbeck Park.

Almost before this mass of amendments would reach the clerk's desk there would be a plea from the Sixth Ward representative that the people in the southern portion of the city would like a park which they could call their own. The suspense would be ended by the whole matter being referred to the Land Committee, where it would stand for a few weeks, only to be brought before the Council at a succeeding meeting.

This sort of monotony was broken last Monday when by a new move on the conculminal chess board the Elysian, Westlake and East-side park propositions were referred to the City Attorney with instructions to take the necessary proceedings for condemnation.

The status of the matter being as it is, the value placed by the City Assessor upon the lands proposed to be condemned would be of interest. The seven blocks of thirty-five acres each in Elysian Park are assessed at \$3500 acre, making \$24,500 in all. The land which it is thought of would be taken is estimated to be irregularly shaped, and, therefore, its assessed value can only be approximated. What is under consideration there is to take the land in the gully up to a level with the present lake and fill it with water. Besides this it is asked that sufficient be taken so that a driveway of good width may be laid out around the edge of what would thus be made the new portion of the lake.

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THE COURTHOUSE.

## THE COURTS.

## Supreme Court Decisions in Cases on Appeal—Court Notes.

A modification of judgment has been ordered by the Supreme Court in the case of Garna, appellant, vs. Jensen et al., respondents. The action was to foreclose a mortgage dated June 20, 1889. Mrs. Upton, one of the respondents, was made a party defendant under the allegation that she claimed some interest in the premises, subject to the plaintiff's mortgage. A cross complaint was filed on behalf of Mrs. Upton, in which the latter alleged that the defendant Jensen had executed to her a mortgage upon the same premises, on January 10, 1889, which would make her liable for the amount of the plaintiff's mortgage. The mortgage included a clause providing that in case of foreclosure there might be included "taxes on the interest of the mortgage."

The plaintiff's answer averred that this provision was contrary to the provisions of the Constitution, by reason of which his judgment was affirmed.

In the case of Field vs. Andrade et al., the plaintiff's motion for a new trial was denied, and the court remanded the case to the Superior Court, ordered in ruling that the amount of such interest was a lien upon the premises.

How the judgment is ordered modified to the extent of deducting the interest.

The decision in the case of the Stockton Combined Harvester and Agricultural Works, appellant, vs. Daniel Houser, respondent, is affirmed by the Supreme Court.

A change of place of trial from Los Angeles to San Joaquin county was asked for and denied on the ground that the change was not necessary to the convenience of the parties or the ends of justice might be better promoted.

An appeal from a judgment on a note in the case of S. M. Smith, respondent, vs. R. P. Waite, appellant, judgment is affirmed.

Court Notes.

The Supreme Court has ordered the appeal in the case of Field vs. Andrade et al., from an order denying defendant's motion for a new trial, dismissed.

In Department Five yesterday leave was granted, allowing an amended answer to the cross complaint to be filed in the case of Quirk vs. Conroy et al.

Justice McKinley made an order yesterday, referring the case of Duncan vs. Times-Mirror Company to Department Four.

In Department Six yesterday judgment was awarded the plaintiff in the case of Savings Bank of Southern California vs. M. B. Price et al.

Henry R. Farnsworth was admitted to citizens' court yesterday in Department Four.

A complaint has been filed by Alfred Sonnleitner in the Township Court, charging three unknown persons with battery.

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## NEWS AND BUSINESS.

## The Weather.

U. S. Weather Bureau, Los Angeles, Cal., July 19, 1894. At 5 o'clock the barometer registered 30.04; at 5 p.m., 29.97. Thermometer: for the corresponding hours showed 64 deg. and 73 deg. Maximum temperature, 85 deg.; minimum temperature, 53 deg. Barometer reduced to sea level.

Santa Catalina Island. Illumination and fireworks Saturday nights. Wilmington Transportation Company's steamers making daily trips. Special excursions Saturdays and Sundays on steamer Hermosa. See railroad time tables and display ad. in this paper, or inquire at No. 120 West Second street.

Special attractions at Redondo Beach: Beach parties at Herk St. Clare and Burch, contortionist and spring trapeze act; fancy swimming exhibition in the new plunge. Santa Fe trains leave at 9 a.m., 10 a.m., 1:35 p.m. Round trip, 50 cents.

Chautauqua exercises at Long Beach Sunday, July 22. Trains on Terminal Railway leave Los Angeles 8 and 9:35 a.m., 1:05 and 6 p.m. Last train leaves Long Beach, 7:10 p.m. Fare, 50 cents round trip, good returning Monday.

Grand concert at Chautauqua Assembly, Long Beach, Saturday evening. Special train leaves Los Angeles on Terminal Railway, at 6:30 p.m., returning after concert is over. Fare, 50 cents round trip.

Fifty cents round trip on Terminal Railway to Long Beach and San Pedro. Good going Saturday and Sunday, returning Monday.

Visit the Arrowhead Hot Springs, the fine mountain resort on the Coast. See notice under hotels.

Accident Insurance best and cheapest. John B. Bushnell, general agent, No. 144 South Spring street.

Four hundred young geese and 600 young ducks wanted. Valentine, Broadway market. Mantle tiles, office fittings, hardware, lumber. H. Bohman, 514 South Spring.

Yesterday was one of the warmest days of the season.

The summer exodus to the seashore has commenced in earnest, and all coastwise trains leave the city crowded.

Court Morris Vineyard of the Independent Order of Foresters, will have its semi-annual roll call at the lodgeroom Friday evening.

Mark Foss, a patient at the County Hospital, is showing symptoms of insanity, and was taken to the County Jail for examination yesterday.

The work on the foundation of Mrs. Wilson's new, three-story business block on the west side of Broadway, between Fourth and Fifth streets, has commenced.

The members of the famous Mexican band yesterday spent their time in walking about the city and taking in the sights. They give their opening concert at the Grand Opera house this evening, when a rare musical treat is in store.

At a special meeting of the Executive Committee of the Chamber of Commerce held yesterday afternoon, proposed changes in the constitution were taken. No definite action was taken.

The electric road expects to have the necessary changes made today to run down Spring street to Tenth instead of Broadway, as heretofore. The Broadway line will not be abandoned, but a single wire will be put in at Broadway and Seventh, and enough cars sent by the Broadway route to hold the cars.

A marriage license was issued yesterday to William H. Campbell, a native of Indiana, aged 27 years, and Florence M. Drake, a native of Arkansas; both residents of Tucson.

The friends of Occidental College would scarcely notice after the improvements through paper, paint and improvements in the way of changes of arrangement. Mrs. Juliet H. Stever, who for two years has been connected with Belmont Hall, has been secured as lady-principal. Mrs. Stever is a sister of Mrs. Anna L. Averill, and is well and favorably known in educational circles.

## PERSONALS.

A. M. Snyder of Boston is at the Hollenbeck.

Harry F. Bullen of Chicago is registered at the Nadeau.

J. H. Wright and Miss Wright of Riverside are recent arrivals at the Westminster.

Mr. and Mrs. Melliss of San Francisco registered at the Hollenbeck yesterday.

William Bradford, manager of the Arlington Hotel at Riverside, is in this city.

Nathan W. Blanchard, a Santa Paula rancher, is stopping at the Westminster.

Edgar G. Dyer, the Riverside banker, is in town. He is stopping at the Hollenbeck.

D. F. Baxter, a Santa Barbara merchant, registered at the Westminster yesterday.

J. M. McMillan and wife of Gila Bend, Ariz., registered at the Nadeau yesterday.

C. T. Hedge, formerly proprietor of the Hotel Pleasanton, San Francisco, is among the recent arrivals at the Hollenbeck.

Mr. and Mrs. Price, residents at the Nadeau may be mentioned Charles and Horace E. Pastiorus of Colorado Springs.

Ex-Gov. Murphy of Arizona returned to the Territory yesterday afternoon on a short business trip. He will be absent for a week or ten days.

Mrs. B. D. Standford and Miss Blanche Harper of Kansas City, and Mrs. M. C. Craig of Pennsylvania, registered yesterday at the Nadeau.

Lewis C. Hunter and W. R. Lovegrove, members of the Olympic Club, arrived from San Francisco; both bicycles yesterday, and are staying at the Westminster.

Among yesterday's arrivals at the Westminster may be mentioned Mrs. S. P. Simpson and Miss Simpson of Eagle Pass, Tex. C. W. Dunlap and wife, Mexico, and S. P. Pearson, Lincoln, Neb.

E. Cohn of M. L. Polaski & Co., has returned from San Francisco, where he was detained for some days on account of the strike. He says he is glad to get back to Los Angeles. Mrs. Cohn returned with him.

J. A. Marshall of El Paso, a well-known Southern man, arrived yesterday accompanied by his wife, arrived in this city yesterday and registered at the Hollenbeck. Mr. and Mrs. Marshall were married but recently, and are at present enjoying their wedding trip.

## BOYLE HEIGHTS.

Installation of Officers of St. Elmo Lodge, A. O. U. W.

St. Elmo Lodge, No. 238, A. O. U. W., held an interesting meeting on Wednesday evening and installed officers for the ensuing six months as follows: Master Workman, D. C. Snyder; Foreman, John Korbel; Overseer, Charles Elmond; Financier, C. L. Cross; Guide, R. A. Sturdy; Inside Watchman, J. R. Cate; Outside Watchman, A. W. Ellis; trustee, C. M. Farmer.

The installation ceremonies were conducted by D. D. G. M. Workman, assisted by P. G. M. James Booth, who subsequently gave short addresses to the members present.

This lodge now numbers thirty-three members with several applications on file, and is in a flourishing condition, both financially and otherwise.

R. O. Gill, letter-carrier No. 16, is off on a two-weeks' vacation. His place being filled by a substitute carrier from the main post office.

A. S. Parks, Esq., and family have recently moved to the Hollenbeck block and from the Heights, having taken apartments at No. 703½ South Broadway, over in the city.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

# Royal Baking Powder

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## CHARTER REVISION.

Considered by the Chamber of Commerce Directors.

The Position of the Citizens' League Explained at Some Length—Some of the Changes that are Suggested.

A meeting of the board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce was held yesterday afternoon for the purpose of considering the proposed revision of the city charter, as prepared by the Citizens' League. There were present Messrs. Charles Forman, F. W. King, G. W. Parsons, E. F. C. Klokke, E. W. Jones, M. S. Severance, K. Cohn and T. A. Elsen. The league was represented by J. S. Slauson and G. J. Griffith.

M. S. Severance was asked to preside and on motion the charter as prepared by the Citizens' League was taken up and considered section by section.

In explaining the position of the league regarding some of the changes from the present charter, proposed by the league, Mr. Slauson said that it is believed best to have five members of the Board of Education elected at large rather than to have them elected from each ward. By so doing the league will be able to do more for the people.

It was further explained as being thought better to have the offices of the Street Superintendent and City Engineer consolidated, as the work of those offices is quite closely connected, and it would, in that way, be more harmoniously conducted.

Over the section providing that several of the city officers shall be appointed by the city council, there was considerable opposition, some of those present expressing themselves as believing it would be better to have the appointments subject to confirmation by the Council, while others maintained the appointments should be made by the Mayor without being subject to such confirmation.

A vote being taken, the section was approved as it stood, the appointments being not subject to confirmation by the Council, while the power of vesting in that body to remove any appointed officer is taken away.

The verdict of the jury was that the deceased came to his death by committing suicide with a razor while temporarily insane.

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the motion for dismissal of the charge was granted, and a new complaint for disturbing the peace was sworn out. To this Blandford pleaded guilty, and was sentenced to \$50 or fifty days.

## TEMPORARILY INSANE.

Suicide of James F. Waterman by Cutting His Throat.

James F. Waterman, aged 81 years, who attempted to commit suicide last Tuesday, died from the effects of his self-inflicted injuries at an early hour yesterday morning. The deceased was the father of Charles W. Waterman, Sr., partner in the Perfect-fitting Shoe Company, and resided with his son at No. 1136 South Hope street. He came to this city last December from Wisconsin, where he had been living with his only other child, a married daughter. Shortly after his arrival here he developed symptoms of insanity. He was not violent at all but was subject to frequent fits of depression and melancholy, and a nurse was hired to take care of him.

At the Coroner's inquest, which was held at the undertaking parlors of Kragel & Bresce, at 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon, the other details of the sad affair were learned. The man who was hired to attend Mr. Waterman at night, and who while he shaved his charge in a closet near by, when he left the room about six o'clock last Tuesday morning in making his toilet the deceased got up and, obtaining possession of the razor, slashed himself with it across the throat, inflicting a wound which, under ordinary circumstances, would have been fatal. Mr. Waterman lost about a pint of blood before the hemorrhage could be stopped, which, in addition to his other infirmities, so weakened him that death followed within forty-eight hours.

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Pierre de Brule, a French man with little character and less morals, arrested by Detective Bosquie a few days ago, was sentenced to 60 days for vagrancy. The sentence was suspended during good behavior.

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## BLANDFORD'S CASE.

Convicted of Disturbing the Peace and Fined Fifty Dollars.

At 3 o'clock the preliminary examination of James W. Blandford, charged with assault to murder, was commenced before Justice Seaman. Blandford is the man who, in a drunken frenzy, struck at his sister-in-law, Mattie Priester, with a knife, about ten days ago at his home on the corner of Belmont and Temple. Temple street. J. R. Dupuy and Charles C. Davis were retained as counsel for the defense. Deputy District Attorney Rush conducted the prosecution. The prisoner's wife, her sister, the girl attacked by Blandford, and a crowded courtroom listened to the testimony introduced and the heated arguments of the attorney with an interest which never died.

The remaining sections of the proposed charter were read and were approved after some slight modifications.

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